

ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA. THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1875.

The New Hampshire Election.

The "breeze from the Northeast" seems, notwithstanding all the early shouting of the Radical papers, to be a very light wind indeed. I has not sufficed to move the vane that points to Democratic success in the next Presidential election. The Radicals fail to elect the Governor before the people, and so far as National politics are concerned the Democrats elect two out of the three members of Congress, a gain of one member. The Democrats tie the Radicals in the State Senate, but it is probable that the Radicals have a small majority in the House, which will enable them, if the party whip is able to drive in every man elected as a Republican, to elect Mr. Cheney, Governor.

But in view of the fact that this is the first election of 1875, that the Administration pour ed all its power into the State to encourage its supporters by an utter route of the Democrats, and that the huzz is sent out by the Administration organs, even before the smoke of the battle cleared away, showed how confident they were of the success of Executive power in securing a majority, the victory is substantially with the Democrats. If the Administration cannot, by all its arts, all its patronage, all its power, win a great victory in the little State of New Hampshire, when a grand success there is essential to its cause, how certain is its failure on the wide field of the Presidential election. With no force bill to make four States "input capital" to start with in the South, and with such elections only as that in New Hampshire, the Administration will soon find that the American people are stronger than the President and his patronage. The Centennial year will be a bad year for third terms.

There are few cases recorded of such official blindness as that of the present administration and its backers, and "there are none so blind as those who will not see." The dewnfall of Radicalism is as plainly visible as was the crease of 136; scholars 21,032, an increase of handwriting on the wall of Belshazzar's palace, yet, animated by an insatiate desire to retain power so wilfully abused, they would apparently rather destroy the fabric reared by the fathers, but which has been so outrageously mutilated, than relinquish their grasp. Their love of country is subservient to love of power, and with the loss of the one the love of the other speedily dies out. The fiat has, however, gone forth, and they will find it haad kicking against the pricks.

The St. Louis Democrat (Rep.) is severe upon its own party. It calls attention to the fact that out of 135 members who voted for the force bill in the House of Representatives, 87 of them were rejected by the people at the fall elections. Says the Democrat: "It teaches how the worthless scamps who have robbed the country in the name of Republicanism, whether as jobbers, salary-grabbers, carpetbaggers, or monopolists, and have been tumbled overboard by their constituents, are now trying to drag down the party to perish in the same ditch. These are the creatures who follow Butler, and enable him to play the bully : these the creatures who, with a few fanatics, make up the majority in a Republican caucus, and cram obnoxious measures down the throats of more honorable but timid Republicans.'

As soon as the news arrived that the Archbishop or New York was to be the first American Cardinal, he was interviewed by an indus trious reporter. He had received no official notification of the fact, but believed the announcement was correct. This elevation would he said, not necessitate the selection of a new Archbishop for New York, nor would it necessarily increase his jurisdiction or powers. In a council of Archbishops and Bishops, however, a Cardinal would rank the highest.

Quid rides. Senator Gordon and Representative Lamar were derided yesterday by the Radical press because they went to New Hampshire to speak, and were bidden to "step down and out," when it was reported that the Radi cals had swept the State. Well, the Radicals did not sweep the State, but on the contrary quite the reverse. So the gentlemen named are entitled to high seats, and will, doubtless, receive their zeward. Let those laugh who

The delirquent tax list of the city and county of San Francisco is a document of 114 closelyprinted pages, and it certainly suggests that the benanza speculators of the Pacific coast metropolis do not pay their taxes very promptly. Notwithstanding this fact, real estate sales for the month of February in San Francisco footed up \$4,506,538.

The value of butter made in this country is greater than that of the wheat crop, and amounted last year to over four hundred million dollars. One million four hundred thousand pounds of the article were consumed in 1874 an average of nearly thirty-five pounds to each

A French female has just retired from business in New York with a fortune of over \$100, 000, and has gone to her native France. Her business was not considered very respectable, as it consisted in levying black-mail on a large number of wealthy married men in New York.

Rev. Thomas Hume, a Baptist minister, and one of the most prominent and best known citone of the most prominent and best known citizens of Portsmouth, Va., died on Sunday night, in the 63d year of his age.

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The foreign imports into New York last week footed up to \$10,819,858, of which \$3,733,542 "To show the very age and body of the Times" were dry goods, This amount is greatly in excess of the weekly average, and indicates that the importing and commission houses look forward to a brisk market.

Mr. Benjamin N. Meeds, formerly Assessors of Internal Revenue of the District of Columbia, and more recently Auditor of the Board of Public Works of Washington, died yesterday morning, quite suddenly.

The Richmond Euquirer has resumed its former size and appears with a new and neat heading. The Enquirer is an "institution' worthy of support, and we are glad to see such evidences of its prosperity.

Burglars hav rather a hard time of it in Richmond. Another one was shot at and hit the other night while in the act of entering a house. "There's nothing like"-buck shot.

Now that Congress has adjourned, some people are discourteous enough to wish that the Legislature would "go and do likewise," for the good it is doing.

Baltimore Conference.

In the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church South, in Washington, yesterday, the Committee on the Bible Cause urge ministers to give Bible agents their cordial and active cooperation.

The Committee on the Educational Interests of the Church were pext heard.

Dr. James A. Duncan made an appeal to the Conference on behalf of Randolph Macon College.

The claims of the Valley Female College, at Winchester, were presented by Dr. Arbogast. ts principal.

The committee reported in favor of sustaining Raudolph College, Wesleyan Female Institute, Staupton; Valley Female College, Winchester; Roanoke Female College, Montgomery county, and the Female Seminary at Union, West Virginia.

The next report was upon Sunday School interests of the church, which was submitted by Rev. Wm. Wilson.

Rev. A. W. Wilson submitted the report of the Committee on Missions. The committee urge more liberality to the mission cause. This Conference had contributed last year but twenty-five cents per church member, and this year but twenty-eight cents.

The Committee on Church Papers made a report. The majority report was in favor of indorsing the Baltimore Christian Advocate, the minority in favor of giving equal chances to the Advocate and the Episcopal Methodist, of Baltimore, but the whole subject was indefinitely postponed.

Rev. J. P. Etchison was allowed a superannuated relation.

Rev. Aaron Boone was placed upon the su-

pernumerary list. The Committee on Statistics then made their report, showing 25 265 white and 89 colored members, being an increase of 1,133 white and 13 colored members; 103 local preachers, a decrease of 2 from last year; 1,532 intant baptisms, increase 262; 1,272 adult baptisms, increase 142; 313 churches, decrease 11, but an increase in value of \$39.560; parsonages 60, increase 6, the value increasing \$16,600; Sunday Schools 407, an increase of 30; teachers 3,113, an increase of 126; library books 54,617, an increase of 3,516; Sunday School expenses \$8,482.81, a decrease of \$181.94.

Rev. Dr. R. R. S. Hough was elected corresponding secretary of the Conference. The Conference adjourned at 10:15 o'clock last night, after which Bishop Marvin announced the appointments.

Among them are the following: Washington District-N. Head, Presiding Elder; J. W. Boteler, sup ; Alexandria, J. H. Waugh; F. M. Mills, sup; Fairfax Circuit, C. A. Joyce and J. W. Schooff; Falls Church Circuit, W. G. Hammond; Farmwell Circuit, O. C. Bell; Leesburg Circuit, James S. Garner; Hamilton and Grove, L H. Crenshaw; Potomac Mission, J. P. Hall; Hilisboro', L. R. Jones and J. H. Boyd; Londoun Circuit, T. E. Carson and R. A. McElheney; Piedmont, C. G. Linthicum; Linder, L. H. Buldwin; Warrenton Circuit, H. A. Gaver; Prince William Circuit, J. M. Grandin; Stafford Circuit, S. F. Butt and J. J. Smith; Fredericksburg Station, R. R. S. Hough; J. Poisal, editor Episcopai Methodist.

Winchester District-Samuel Register, Presiding Elder. Winchester Station, S. Rodgers; Winchester Circuit, W. S. Eggleston and J. H. March; Frederick Missicn, G. Stevenson: Strasburg, M. G. Bathis; Front Royal and Riverton, J. H. Delany; Warren Circuit, J. Asbury Register; Berryville Circuit, A. N. Datly; Martinsburg. L. C. Miller; Brucetown, S. Townsend and J. F. Boggs; Berkeley Circuit, J. W. Wolf; Charlestown, S. G. Ferguson; Shepherdstown, A. A. P. Neal; Gainesborough, S. L. Martin; Morgan, W. M. Hines; Wordensville, L. Grabel, W. A. Taylor, sup.; Shenandoah, A. A. Robey; Roanoke Female College, J. P. Hyde.

Rockingham District-D. Thomas, Presiding Elder. Staupton, J. S. Martin, A. R. Martin, sup.; Harrisonburg, S. S. Rossely; Shenan-doah Iron Works, W. C. Mulloy; Mt. Sidney, J. H. Temple; Churchville, J. F. Suggin, S. R. Jefferson, sup; Bridgewater, G. Mauzy; Sangersville Mission, F. Furr; Rockingham,

AN EXTRAORDINARY SUIT. - A suit is now in progress in the Chancery Court of Louisville, Ky., which, from the prominence of the parties concerned and the extraordinary character of the issues involved, has created a very decided sensation there. The late H. D. Newcomb, for many years president of the Louis ville and Nashville railroad, was married twice. His first wife became insane and killed two of her children, and has since been an inmate of the Massachusetts General Hospital for the Insane. Several years ago Mr. Newcomb procured a decree of divorce, and was afterward married to a young daughter of a wee'thy and prominent citizen of Louisville, by whom he had two children. He died last summer, leav ing property of between one and two millions. One son by his first wife survived, and is practically the plaintiff in the suit, although it is brought in the name of the first wife, making all legatees and trustees of wills defendants, and is brought to declare the second marriage null and void, the divorce, it is claimed, having been illegal. The effect of a decision in favor of the plaintiff will be to declare the children by the second wife illegitimate. Able counsel have been employed on both sides.

CIVIL RIGHTS. - A man pamed Hall took a negro into a saloon at Waverly, Mo., kept by a man named Bool, yesterday, and attempted to place him on an equality with white men under the civil rights law. The barkeeper protested. but Hall insisted; and the barkeeper chased the negro out of the saloon at the point of a pistol. Another negro, named Bell, then inter-

fered and the barkeeper shot him dead. In Atlanta, Ga., a colored barber committed suicide on account of the loss of his business. He had gone with a party of colored men to a hotel some days since and demanded refreshments, and on account of this act the white people refused to patronize him. The result was suicide.

axe and carry it home in a basket.

NEWSOF THE DAY.

Captain James, of the steamship Nederland when about entering Delaware Bay on last Tuesday, saved six men from a watery grave. He saw a schooner with a signal of distress flying, and bore down to her, but found it impossible to send out a boat on account of the heavy sea. He laid to all night, and in the morning the schooper had disappeared. After cruising about for some time the disabled vessel was again sighted, and the sea being smoother, a boat's crew reached her and found her to be the Laura D., from St. Johns, N. F., to Havana. She was water-lodged and gradually sinking. The captain and five of the crew were still clinging to the rigging and were rescued.

The state of affairs in the Lehigh coal region continues to be the most unpromising for an early settlement of the existing difficulties. The miners appear to be very determined, and are said to have a fair supply of money and wellstocked larders. It is believed that the first advance must come from the operators.

Alexander H, White, an ex-member of Congress from Alabama, has been appointed by the Attorney General to superintend the prosecutions against alleged violators of the laws of the United States in the South, an appropriation of five thousand dollars for that purpose having recently been made by Congress.

The Departments have issued circulars informing their subordinate officers that the civil service rules are no longer in force, and that the old method of making appointments and promotions has been restored. All the subboards of Civil Service Reform throughout the country have been abolished.

The Senate yesterday ratified a treaty between the United States and Belgium, giving reciprocal rights in the matter of transporting goods through the two countries by the citizens of each. It is thought that the Hawaiin treaty will be rejected.

The special Washington correspondent of The Baltimore American says that the rumored recall of Minister Schenck from England is entirely discredited at the State Department. Secretary Fish positively denies the whole The Director General of the Centennial Ex-

hibition at Philadelphia was yesterday officially notified that Congress appropriated \$505,000 for preparation of the exhibition to be made by the Department of the Government and the erection of a building to contain it. In the United States Senate yesterday Mr.

Merrimon concluded his speech in opposition to the admission of Piuchback. The Senate then went into executive session, and at its close adjourned. A dispatch from Sioux City to the Chicago

Times says many strangers have arrived to join Gordon's Black Hills expedition, which is to start April 5 The indications are that there will be over 1,000 men ready by that time.

Edward Mooney, indicted in New York city for murdering his wife, by kicking her to death, pleaded guilty of manslaughter in the second degree, and was yesterday sentenced to seven years' imprisonment.

An official announcement is made from Paris of the formation of a Ministry. Buffet, takes the Interior, and Dufaure the Department of Justice. The name of the Duke D'Audiffret Pasquier is not embraced. To-morrow at Easten, Md., George Wheeler,

colored, will be hanged for the murder of Mrs. Whitman, and at Belair, Joshua Griffin will be hanged for the murder of Susan Taylor. At a meeting of the Directors of the Western

Secretary Bristow will, it is stated, probably to-day issue his formal order calling in thirty million of five-twenty bonds. The numbers

and dates of such bonds are not yet known. The Congressional Louisiana Investigating Committee have gone to New York, and the returns of the election of 1874 will be canvass-

Gen. Sheridan is in Washington, and yesterday had a protracted interview with the Presi-

VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE.

In the Senate, yesterday, bills were reported incorporating the Richmond and Mecklenburg Railroad; amending the Code in reference to levies, and amending the Code in reference to preme Court of the United States. times of holding circuit courts.

Mr. Critcher presented a resolution of the Rappahannock Valley Farmers' Club in reference to the regulation of rates of wharfage on

the Rappaliannock river. Mr. McRae presented a bill to authorize the Richmond and Danville Railroad Company to

change and regulate the gauge of their road. It was resolved that the Auditor of Public Accounts be requested to report to the Senate whether, under the rulings and instructions from his office, toll bridges, turnpikes and ferries are assessed and taxed on the valuation thereof, or upon the gross income from the tolls of the same; and his construction of section 65 of an act approved April 30th, 1874, for the assessment, levy and collection of taxes. The bill establishing a new circuit, to be

known as the Seventeenth, was passed -ayes 27, nays 7. The bill authorizing the town of Danville to

issue bonds in payment of a war debt to Wm.

Sutherlin was passed.

The bill relating to the inspection of tobacco was debated till adjournment.

In the House of Delegates bills were reported incorporating the Virginia Prison Reform Association; providing for the construction of a House of Correction and Reformation for juvenile prisoners, and providing for the collect-

iog of township taxes after July, 1875. Bills in relation to general elections; in relation to registration; prescribing the times for holding the courts of the 4th judicial circuit. and incorporating the Newport and Blacksburg Turopike Company, were read the third

The House bill to enlarge the accommodations of the Eastern and Western Lunatic Asyums was ordered to be engrossed.

Bills were presented incorporating the Old Dominion Telegraph Company, and incorporating the Commercial Loan and Trust Com-

A call of the House was had on the bill to protect persons and property affected by the operations of railroads. Enough were found present, and the bill was laid on the table. The bill for the lease of the penitentiary was

postponed. The general tax bill was debated till adjourn-

CHARGED WITH INCITING A RIOT. - H. Cecil Ball was arrested yesterday on complaint of the Chief of Police, charged with endeavoring to incite a riot at the Richwond Theatre on the night of the 8th. It is alleged that Ball purchased a ticket in the dress-circle for a mulatto strumpet. He is the man who had the diffi culty with Mr. John Spellings, and who at the time acknowledged to Mr. Spellings that he had bought the ticket for the woman. He was bailed by Squire Cruichfield in the sum of

Letter from Fauquier Co.

Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] ORLEAN, FAUQUIER Co., VA., March 10 .-We have quite a flourishing little village; everyting denoting thrift and enterprise. We have four dry goods and grocery stores, two grog shops-the very bane of society in every community; three blacksmith shops, two shoemaker's shops, one wheelwright shop, two M. D.'s, and one drug store. We number between pinety and one hundred inhabitants.

The proparty recently owned by Mr. Ludwell Lake, sr., and occupied by Dr. Suith, has been purchased by Mr. Wm. H. Triplett, the leading merchant of this place. This is the most desirable location in the village. The dwelling is a large and commodious one, fronting on Maine street, with a most beautiful lawn in front. Mr. Triplett proposes opening a summer boarding house, and doubtless will make it a very pleasant summer resort for any who will leave the crowded cities to enjoy the healthy waters and pure mountain air, for which Virginia is famous, and of which our viilage has a liberal share. We have a beautiful view of the Blue Ridge Mountains as far southward as the eye can reach, and north as far as Ashby's Gap, and then the delightful view is broken by one more delightful-the "Big Cobler Mountain," standing alone in all its glory and grandeur. Language would fail me were I to attempt to describe this lovely mountain, which surpasses all others in beauty and loveliness.

The young gents of the village and community have quite an interesting Debating Society in this place. Dr. Haosborough, the President, delivered a very fine address before the society at its last meeting-subject : Education, His pleasant delivery, graceful gestures, and ready flow of language, made his address one of the best efforts to which we have listened for a long

Those of our village who have faith in the 'ground hog," are crowing over us who have but little faith, or none at all, and are preaching "ground bog" to us at every opportunity.

If "ground hog" has anything to do with the weather, we would say, "Three cheers for ground hog." More anon.

P. which are similar to those already named, the whole movement, thus far, showing concerted action in the conduct of the coal trade in 1875.

SPEECH OF JUDGE R. H. COCKERILLE. - In the Conservative Legislative caucus, on the 24th of February, when nominations for Lieutenant Governor were being made, Judge R. H. Cockerille, of Fairfax, said:

MR. PRESIDENT: We have met this evening with a view to the nomination of some gentleman to fill the vacancy shortly to be made in the office of Lieutenant Governor of Virginia by the resignation of the present incumbent, Hon. R. E. Withers. The trust to be executed requires that we should act deliberately and prudently, with due regard to the interest involved. The place to be filled requires and demands a gentleman of experience, ability, and one acquainted with the present necessities of our beloved Commonwealth, and with it skilled in parliamentary law. I present to you such an one in my colleague in the Senate, Judge Henry W. Thomas, of Fairfax; and you will allow me to add, Mr. President, in my whole circle of acquaintance with the prominent men of the State, I know of none that can more worthily fill the standard than my fri nd, Judg Thomas. From my beyhood I have known; under his instructions I pursued the study of law, and I can truthfully say his qualities of head and heart are superior. By his kind and gentle

bearing he has gained the entire considence of the people among whom he lives, and by his sympathetic feelings he has attached to him many warm friends.

In the service of his State he has devoted the hest portions of his life, entering the House of Delegates in 1841; the cet mperary of Caperton, Daniel, Strother and others. In 1849 he was elected to the Senate of Virginia, in which position he remained until 1862, when he was elected Second Auditor, and continued to hold the same until the government of Virginia was overthrown. After the was he was elected Judge of the Loudoun Circuit, which p sition he held u: til he was removed by the reconstruc-York, a quarterly dividend of two per cent. Judge T. well during that period—a period that will ever be remembered in our history. I have seen him on the bench, when the environs and representatives of the Federal Government were present to overawe, if not direct, his action. Aye, sir, it was a macter of note, that under the shadow of the Capitol itself, he stated that the

statutes of his own State should govern him, and that he would not recognize, in his judicial capacity, the act of Congress constraining the laws of his State; that the Federal Government had no right, nor authority to demand him to receive the testimony of colored witnesses, and that he would not obey it unti! his State directed him. For this decision he was arrested under a bench warrart, issued from Underwood, and came to Richmond. The prosecution was ultimately dropped, the reconstruction being acquiesced in by the State. As Judge, he had to grapple with the most difficult and important legal questions arising out of the co: fiscation and Federal tax, and it gives me great pleasure to state that in every instance he was sustained by

our Court of Appeals, and in some by the Su-Such is the gentleman I present. He is now the President pro tem. of the Senste, and well qualified to make an efficient presiding officer, and is the decided choice of that body, of which he is a member, and over whom he will preside it elected; and I think their wishes should be regarded, all other things being equal, and that the members of the House should not be influ enced, under these considerations, to vote for one of our own body, in disregard of the wishes of the Senate, however worthy and we'l quali-fied he may be. He comes, as I do, from the county of Washington and Mason, and I hope that one so well qualified may receive the nem-

ination of this conference. THE McCORMICK TELESCOPE. - The refractng telescope, ordered some four years ago of Messrs. Clark & Sons, of Boston, by Mr. Leander J. McCormick, of Chicago, of McCormick-reaper fame, and which is designed as a present to Washington and Lee University, Lexington, Va., is now nearly completed, It is to cost \$38,000 in gold, and it is claimed will be the largest and most effective instrument of the kind ever constructed. The instrument has an aperture of twenty six inches, and the objectglass weighs 180 pounds; the glass with the tube in which it is inserted weighs about a ton; the whole weight may be roughly estimated at four or five tons, and it has a focal length of thirty-three feet. The objective alone, when completed, is worth \$25,000, and is capable of a magnifying power of 2 000 diameters, though owing to the interference of the atmosphere a power of over 1.500 will seldem be used, but even this will increase the surface of the object viewed to 2 250,000 times its natural size. Mr. McCormick is a native of Rockbridge county, Va.

M. P. CONFERENCE. - The forty-seventh Conference of the Maryland M. P. Church begun its session in Baltimore, yesterday. Rev. David Wilson, D. D., was re-elected President, and the annual sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. F. Swentzel. The report of the President and the report of the trustees of Western Maryland College were made, and the vari ous standing committees were appointed. There was a full attendance of delegates from Maryland, Virginia, Delaware and the District of Columbia Among the lay delegates present was Mr. Wm. Arnold, of this city.

The Virginia Patron is the name of a new weekly paper published in Richmond, and is devoted to the interests of the Patrons of Husbandry. In every column the matter shows the journalistic ability of its editor and proprietor, J. W. Lewellen, e.q., who is known throughout the country as a veteran newspaper man. The Virginia Patron will be the medium DAY, the 25th day of March, at 12 m. of official communication for the Order.

The English pictorials are earicaturing Schenck.

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, March 11.-Receipts of Wheat show an improvement in quantity. and the market remains qu'et and unchanged; offerings of 1700 bushels, with sales of red at 110, 112 and 115 for ordinary to fair, and 125, 126, 127 and 128 for prime to choice. Corn is active and firm; efferings of 1010 bushels, with sales of white at 83 and 84 for prime dry lots, mixed at 81 and 82, and yellow at 81. Oats are in light receipt, with sales at 65.

PRICE OF COAL.-The representatives of what is known as the "Associated Coa! Companies," meaning the six great coal carrying and coal producing companies, met at New York on the 2d instant to consider their plans for the future, and to establish a schedule of prices for coal for the current term. After mature deliberation it was agreed that no reduct on should be made in prices so long as the miners continue on a strike Following this agreement the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, and the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company issued their respective prices of coal for the current month on condition that the men now on a strike in the Schuyikil, Wyoming and Lehigh regions resume work during the month. The Coal and Iron Company has issued its circular in regard to the prices of coal for the month. These do not vary materially from the prices of March, 1874. The Delaware, Lickawanna and Western Company announces its prices for Scranton coal and Eliz bethport as follows: Lump, \$4.40; steamb at, \$4.50; grate, \$4.60; egg, \$4.75; stove, \$5.30, and chestnut \$4.35 Buyers not having contracts will be charged by the company fitten cents per ton more than above prices. From the printed rates of this company the prices are apparently lower than those given for March last; this difference in favor of the buyer, however, is conditional upon the resumption of work by the miners now on a strike in the S huylkill, Wyoming and Lehigh regions, of which there is no probability at present. Under present circumstances dealers will be compelled to pay at I ast fitteen cents per ton more than the published prices, which will bring the rates for some sorts up to the schedule of last year while others will show an advence. The Delaware and Hudson Canal Company, and the Pennsylvania Coal Company, have also issued their circular prices, almost identical with that of 1874 Prices of coal and wages will be fixed monthly, and they will generally advance with the season, thus encour-ging early purchases of coal, and thus lengthering the season of production and transportation. As yet in the Schuylkill region there seems little disposition among the men to go to work in a body .- Phila. Ledger 8th.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 11. Sun sets 0 3, High water 0 00

Steamer Express, Baltimore, to J Broders & Co. She reports a brig at anchor in the mouth of the Potomac, and a small schooner ashore at the mouth of Yeocomico. Steamer Pilot Boy, Currioman, to F A Reed.

Sehr Zoe, hence, at Richmond 9th.

MARRIED.

MEMORANDA

At St Paul's Church, Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, the 11th of March, 1875, at 11 o'clock a m., by Rev. Geo. H. Norton, D.D., GEO R. SHINN, esq., and Miss CHESTENA F. ELD-RIDGE.

At Rectortown, March 10th, 1875, at the residence of the bride's mother, RICHARD RINALD LAKE to Miss KATE E. SEATON, all of Fauquier county, Vn.

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